

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

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-against-

19-cr-0780 (LAK)

SYLVIA ASH,

Defendant.  
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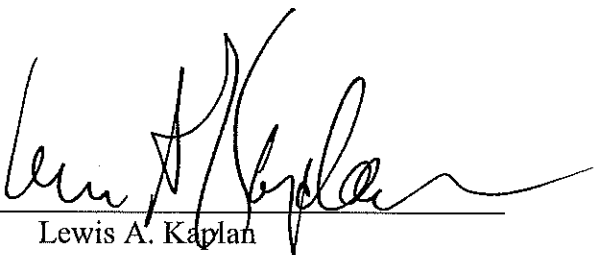
**ORDER**

LEWIS A. KAPLAN, *District Judge.*

Following argument of the *in limine* motions, counsel should be prepared to discuss whether the vaccine status of prospective jurors should be ascertained during *voir dire*, whether unvaccinated prospective jurors should be excused on that basis, and more generally the role, if any, that vaccination status ought to play in selecting and seating a jury in this case.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: November 16, 2021

  
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Lewis A. Kaplan  
United States District Judge